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PROJECTION/EXPOSURE DEVICE,  
MICRO DEVICE MANUFACTURING  
METHOD, ILLUMINATION DEVICE  
MANUFACTURING METHOD,  
PROJECTION/EXPOSURE DEVICE  
ADJUSTMENT METHOD, AND  
PROJECTION/EXPOSURE DEVICE  
MANUFACTURING METHOD

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Before commencing substantive examination, please amend the subject application as follows:

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**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 4.

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**Amendments to the Title**

Please delete the title and substitute therefor the following new title:

**OPTICAL SYSTEMS THAT CORRECT OPTICAL IRREGULARITIES, AND  
PROJECTION-EXPOSURE SYSTEMS AND METHODS COMPRISING SAME**